## VIAC - Questionnaire for Arbitrators

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## 4. Current position:

- Vice Dean of School of Law, University of Economics and Law, Vietnam National University Ho Chi Minh City
- Research Director of Institute of International and Comparative Law University of Economics and Law, Vietnam National University Ho Chi Minh City
- Arbitrator, Mediator, Deputy Chairman of Academic and Training Council of Southern Trade Arbitration Centre (STAC)

## 5. Education:

- Doctor of Laws, Osnabrück University, Osnabrück, Germany, 2014 2019, specialization: International Commercial Arbitration
- Master of Laws, Ho Chi Minh City University of Law, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam, 2009 2011, Specialization: Economic Law
- Bachelor of Laws, Faculty of Economics, Vietnam National University Ho Chi Minh City, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam, 2005 2009, specialization: International Trade Law
- Certificate of Advanced Studies in Arbitration, Swiss Arbitration Academy, Lucerne/Geneva/Zurich, Switzerland, 2018 2019, specialization: International Arbitration
- Diploma in Arbitration, Austrian Arbitration Academy, Strobl, Austria, 2018, specialization: Domestic and International Arbitration
- Diploma in Arbitration, University Frankfurt/Frankfurt Arbitration Circle, Frankfurt am Main, Germany, 2015, specialization: German and International Arbitration

## 6. Practiced experience in arbitration

- How many arbitrations have you participated in (domestic/international); under which Rules?
   11 (STAC Arbitration Rules)
- How often have you acted as Chairman?
- How often have you acted as Sole Arbitrator?
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- How often have you acted as Co-Arbitrator?7
- How often have you acted as Counsel?
- How often have you acted in a different function (e.g. Administrative Secretary)?

# 7. Publications and other activities in arbitration (e.g. training sessions, seminars, conferences, articles and others):

#### **Publications in international journals:**

- Settlement Agreement in Commercial Mediation and Its Enforcement: a Germany Experience, Hankuk University of Foreign Studies Global Law Review, South Korea, ISSN: 2093-0178, Vol. 9, 2017, Number 2.
- Qualifications Of A Commercial Mediator under Vietnamese law, Kluwer Mediation Blog, Pub. Wolters Kluwer, 13 October 2017.
- Time limit to file petition for the recognition and enforcement of foreign arbitral award: a comparative perspective, ASA Bulletin, Vol. 35, No. 1, 2017, ISSN: 1010-9153, Pub. Swiss Arbitration Association and Kluwer Law International.
- Recognition and Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Awards in Vietnam: Current Perspectives and Typical Cases, International Arbitration Law Review, Vol. 18, Issue 3, 2015, ISSN: 1367-8272, Pub. Sweet and Maxwell.

#### **Publications in domestic journals:**

- Lodo irrituale or informal arbitral award under Italian law and the practice of recognition and enforcement in Germany (Lodo irrituale hay là Phán quyết trọng tài phi chính thức theo pháp luật Italia và thực tiễn công nhận và cho thi hành tại Đức) (with Thuan Le Nguyen Gia), Legislative Study Journal, Institute for Legislative Study under the Standing Committee of the National Assembly, No. 5/2019, ISSN: 1859-2953.
- Recognition and enforcement of foreign arbitral awards under treaties on legal supports between Vietnam and other countries (Công nhận và cho thi hành phán quyết trọng tài nước ngoài nhìn từ các hiệp định tương trợ tư pháp giữa Việt Nam và các nước) (with Linh Nguyen Thi Thuy), People's Court Journal, People's Supreme Court, No. 1, 2019, ISSN: 1859-4875.
- Arbitral agreement or service contract on dispute resolution (Thỏa thuận trọng tài hay là hợp đồng cung cấp dịch vụ giải quyết tranh chấp) (with Thuan Le Nguyen Gia), Journal on Economics, Law and Administration, Vietnam National University Ho Chi Minh City, No. 21, 3rd Quarter 2018, ISSN: 1859-0128.
- Qualifications of commercial mediator (Tiêu chuẩn hòa giải viên thương mại) (with Phuc Le Nguyen Gia), Legal Professions Journal, Justice Academy, No. 3/2018, ISSN: 1859-3631.
- Definition, form and content of mediation agreement: a comparative between Vietnamese and German laws (Hình thức và nội dung của thỏa thuận hòa giải) (with Phuc Le Nguyen Gia), Legislative Study Journal, Institute for Legislative Study under the Standing Committee of the National Assembly, No. 12/2018, ISSN: 1859-2953.
- Foreign arbitral award under the New York Convention 1958, experience of application in some countries and suggestions for application in Vietnam (Phán quyết trọng tài nước ngoài theo Công ước New York 1958, thực tiễn áp dụng tại một số quyết gia và đề xuất áp dụng tại Việt Nam), People's Court Journal (online), People's Supreme Court, ISSN: 1859-4875.

- "Foreign arbitral award" and "Award of foreign arbitration": German experience and proposal to amend Vietnamese law ("Phán quyết trọng tài nước ngoài" và "Phán quyết của trọng tài nước ngoài": Kinh nghiệm của Đức và gợi mở nhằm hoàn thiện pháp luật Việt Nam), People's Court Journal (online), People's Supreme Court, ISSN: 1859-4875.
- Recognition and enforcement of foreign arbitral award exceeding time limit in the United States: a practical perspective from the case Seetransport Wiking v. Navimpex Centrala (Công nhận và cho thi hành phán quyết của trọng tài nước ngoài dù đã quá thời hiệu yêu cầu tại Hoa Kỳ: nhìn từ thực tiễn xét xử vụ Seetransport Wiking v. Navimpex Centrala), Journal on Economics, Law and Administration, Vietnam National University Ho Chi Minh City, No. 20, 3rd Quarter 2017, ISSN: 1859-0128.
- Recognition and enforcement of foreign arbitral award (Công nhận và cho thi hành phán quyết của trọng tài nước ngoài), Legislative Study Journal, Institute for Legislative Study under the Standing Committee of the National Assembly, No. 24, 12/2016, ISSN: 1859-2953.
- The number of arbitrators in arbitration council look from the perspective of comparative law (Số lượng trọng tài viên trong hội đồng trọng tài nhìn từ góc độ luật học so sánh), Legislative Study Journal, Office of National Assembly, No. 15, 8/2012, ISSN: 1859-2953.

## Training courses on arbitration and mediation:

- Certificate of Attendance, Vietnam International Commercial Mediation Center, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam, 2020, specialization: Dispute Resolution Skills Through Mediation
- Practitioner Certificate, Swiss Arbitration Academy, Lucerne/Geneva/Zurich, Switzerland, 2018 2019, specialization: International Arbitration
- Certificate of Attendance, International Arbitration Seminars & Courses/University Carlos III, Madrid, Spain, 2018, specialization: Investment Arbitration
- Certificate of Attendance, Prague Summer Mediation Academy/Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic, 2017, specialization: Domestic and Cross-border Mediation
- Assessment Certificate, Prague Summer Mediation Academy/Charles University, Prague, Czech
   Republic, 2017, specialization: Domestic and Cross-border Mediation
- Certificate of Attendance, International Academy for Arbitration Law in Paris, Paris, France, 2016, specialization: International Arbitration
- Certificate of Attendance, University of Cologne/German Institution of Arbitration, Cologne, Germany, 2015, specialization: International Commercial Arbitration

# 8. Membership in arbitral institutions/ functions in arbitral institutions/organizations:

- Southern Trade Arbitration Centre
- Austrian Arbitration Association
- ASA 40

## 9. Languages

Mother tongue: Vietnamese

Working languages (i.e. languages in which you have both a spoken and written command so that you may conduct arbitral proceedings in this language): English, Vietnamese

10. In which legal systems have	you trained?		
X Civil Law	☐ Common Law		
X Austrian Law	☐ Hungarian Law	X Swiss Law	
☐ Czech Law	☐ Polish Law	☐ Ukrainian Law	
X German Law	☐ Slovakian Law ☐	☐ European Law	
Other: Vietnamese law			
What is your main jurisdiction o	f practice?		
Vietnam			
11. In which jurisdictions are yo	u admitted to the bar?		
N/A			
12. Special expertise or specialize	zations (please list a max	imum of five):	
$\hfill\Box$ Antitrust/Unfair competition	☐ Damages	☐ Insolvency	□ Power plants
☐ Aviation	☐ Distribution	☐ Insurance	X Private Intern. Law
☐ Banking & Finance	☐ Domain name disput	es 🗖 Intellectual property	☐ Public Intern. Law
☐ Capital markets	☐ Employment	☐ ISDS/ Foreign invest.	☐ Real estate
X CISG	☐ Energy	X Joint ventures	☐ Shipping
☐ Civil fraud disputes	☐ Engineering	☐ Licensing	☐ Sports
X Commercial disp. / transactio contracts	ns   Entertainment	☐ Life sciences	☐ State/Public
□ Commodity market	☐ Healthcare & Pharma	ac. 🗖 Maritime arbitratio	on
☐ Technology	☐ Company/Corporate,	/M&A	☐ Hotel/Gastro./Tou
☐ Media (IT)	☐ Telecommunication ☐ Mining	☐ Construction☐ Transport	☐ Inform. technology
X Contract law	☐ Infrastructure	■ Natural resources	
☐ Other			
<b>13. Date of birth:</b> 14/1/1987			

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October 12, 2021			
Date	and	Signature	